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In re Application of	:	
Mueller	:	
Application No. 10/598,628	:	ON PETITION
Filed: September 6, 2006	:	
Attorney Docket No. 07420.25183	:	

This is a decision on the petition under the unintentional provisions of 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed March 3, 2010, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **DISMISSED**.

Any request for reconsideration of this decision must be submitted within TWO (2) MONTHS from the mail date of this decision. Extensions of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a) are permitted. The reconsideration request should include a cover letter entitled "Renewed Petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b)." This is **not** a final agency action within the meaning of 5 U.S.C. § 704.

In accordance with 37 CFR 1.33(b), "[a]mendments and other papers, except for written assertions pursuant to § 1.27(c)(2)(ii) of this part, filed in the application must be signed by: (1) A patent practitioner of record appointed in compliance with § 1.32(b); (2) A patent practitioner not of record who acts in a representative capacity under the provisions of § 1.34; (3) An assignee as provided for under § 3.71(b) of this chapter; or (4) All of the applicants (§ 1.41(b)) for patent, unless there is an assignee of the entire interest and such assignee has taken action in the application in accordance with § 3.71 of this chapter."

The instant petition is not signed in accordance with 37 CFR 1.33(b).

Accordingly, treatment on the merits of the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) is not forthcoming.

Any request for reconsideration must be accompanied by the required petition fee. Petitioner is advised to review the most current USPTO fee schedule prior to submission of any request for reconsideration to ensure that the fees have not increased or decreased at the time of submission of the request for reconsideration.

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